



IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re Application of

Yoshinobu SUEHIRO, et al.

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For: LIGHT EMITTING APPARATUS

Honorable Commissioner of Patents
Alexandria, VA 22313 - 1450

PRELIMINARY AMENDMENT FILED WITH RCE

Sir:

In further response to the Office Action dated March 21, 2007, and upon entry of the Request for Continued Examination (RCE) filed herewith, please consider the following:

INTRODUCTORY COMMENTS

Claims 1-33 are all the claims presently pending in the application. Amendments to the claims begin on page 2 of this paper. No new matter is added.

Remarks begin at page 8 of this paper.